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## INTELLIGENCE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Minutes of Meeting Held in Director's  
Conference Room, Administration Building  
Central Intelligence Agency, on 29 December 1953

Director of Central Intelligence  
Allen W. Dulles  
Presiding

### MEMBERS PRESENT

Mr. Fisher Howe, acting for Special Assistant for Intelligence  
Department of State  
Brigadier General John M. Willems, acting for Assistant Chief  
of Staff, G-2, Department of the Army  
Rear Admiral H. C. Daniel, acting for Director of Naval  
Intelligence, Department of the Navy  
Major General John A. Samford, Director of Intelligence,  
Headquarters, United States Air Force  
Colonel Samuel M. Lansing, acting for Deputy Director for  
Intelligence, The Joint Staff  
Dr. Charles H. Reichardt, Atomic Energy Commission  
Representative to the IAC  
Mr. Victor P. Keay, acting for Assistant to the Director,  
Federal Bureau of Investigation

### ALSO PRESENT

Lt. Gen. Charles P. Cabell, Central Intelligence Agency  
Mr. Robert Amory, Jr., Central Intelligence Agency

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Mr. William C. Trueheart, Department of State  
Mr. Clinton Knox, Department of State  
Lt. Colonel T. C. Anderson, Department of the Army  
Captain Allen L. Reed, USN, Department of the Navy  
Colonel Donald H. Ainsworth, United States Air Force

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Colonel John J. Morrow, United States Air Force  
Lt. Colonel Robert Totten, United States Air Force  
Mr. Donald F. Benjamin, United States Air Force  
Colonel J. G. Ondrick, The Joint Staff  
Lt. Colonel L. R. Miller, The Joint Staff



Secretary

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Approval of Minutes

(IAC-M-134, 22 December 1953)

1. Action: Approved.

The Political Outlook

in Italy

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2. Action: Approved, as amended.

Matters for NSC Briefing

3. Discussion: Mr. Dulles stated he would discuss the situations in Iran and Indochina.

DCI's Remarks

4. Discussion: Mr. Dulles thanked the members for their cooperation over the past year and expressed his hope that any member would feel free during the coming year to bring up at the IAC any question affecting the intelligence community, as well as intelligence estimates.

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